





**Miscellaneous Shower.**  
A delightful social event of Dawson was a miscellaneous surprise shower tendered Mrs. S. I. Morningstar last

**Indict County Detective.**  
The Grand Jury of Cambria county gave out a sensational feature by finding true bills in every one of the 14 indictments against ex-County Detective J. B. Berkebile.

5 cents a cake.

"Sell Good Shoes Cheap."

W. B. SPENCER, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

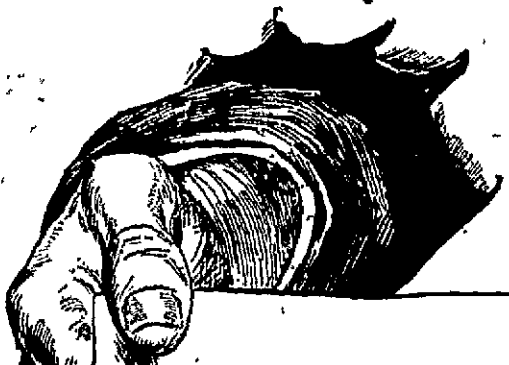
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## Handing Out Bargains NOW! In Winter and Xmas Goods

# A Big Bargain Sale Before, Instead of After Christmas--Supply Your Gift and Personal Needs Here at Big Savings.

A real bargain Sale in December is rare indeed. Just at this time, when Winter needs are pressing and everybody's buying holiday gifts, full prices are charged in most stores.

We do the unusual, and fly in the face of precedent by announcing a Genuine Bargain Sale of the worthiest and newest of merchandise NOW instead of in January.

Why? Because we are determined that this December shall be a month of record-breaking selling--because we want, to prove beyond question that this store offers values which make it unthrifty for anyone to go to the City to make their Christmas purchases--because we have had the most

prosperous year and want to express our thanks to our customers by sharing our profits with them and saving them money just when they will most appreciate it.

Those are the reasons. The result is that you are offered choice of the finest stocks of sensible gift goods, including the most complete lines of Ready-to-wear Garments in this section, at prices matchlessly low.

You know our past clean record of right goods at right prices, and will know how to appreciate the statement that now we have even finer stocks and even greater values than ever. Come!

## Pre-Holiday Sale Starts Saturday, December 12

### Knit Underwear

This sale comes most opportune for those who have Winter Underwear needs to fill. You can now buy your supply at a big saving.

Ladies' Vests or Pants, good heavy fleeced, sells everywhere at 35c, our price for this sale ..... 17c

Ladies' extra heavy fleeced vests or pants, a good value at 50c, our price during this sale ..... 39c

Ladies' flannellette Night Gowns, in blue or pink stripes, worth 60, special for this sale

**39 cents**

### Splendid Waist Values

trimmed and made from the most desirable fabrics comprise this offering; they are priced far below their real worth.

\$1.25 Tailored Waists ..... 89c  
\$2.00 Tailored Waists ..... \$1.39  
\$2.50 Tailored Waists ..... \$1.75  
\$1.40 Silk Waists ..... \$2.00  
\$1.00 Silk Waists ..... \$3.00  
\$1.50 Tailored Waists ..... \$4.00  
\$1.50 Lace Waists ..... \$1.90  
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Waists up to \$25.00 will be sold accordingly.



### \$1.25 Blankets 83c

The best medium priced cotton blankets in the market, extra large size, for the big bed; for this sale only ..... 83c

### Children's Bearskin Coats \$1.69

Brand new lot of Children's Bearskin Coats in white, gray, red, brown, Copenhagen and other colors; trimmed with fancy buttons, sizes 1 to 6, reduced from \$2.50, for this sale ..... \$1.69

### \$1.50 Lace Curtains 98c

Fine net curtains, madras weave and guaranteed to laundry, beautiful lace effects for this sale, only ..... 98c

### \$6.50 All Wool Blankets \$4.40

11-4 strictly all wool blankets, in all colors, such as black and white, red and white and all plain colors, positively an excellent value at \$6.50, for this sale ..... \$4.40

### Fancy Neckwear

New conceits in dozens of pretty effects to enhance the appearance of your waists--all at special prices for this sale.

**Crape Silk Scarfs**  
A beautiful collection in charming plain or white with floral designs, pretty color border effects, etc. Prices range up to \$3.50, with special values for this sale 48c to \$2.40.

The new batiste bow, trimmed with matisse lace, hand embroidered, in various colors, with drops to match embroidery; each in a box ..... 48c  
Our entire line of neckwear and fancy goods reduced accordingly.



### Hosiery

#### Great Bargains

And it's the best hosiery that money can buy--during this sale very little money buy a whole season's supply.

Ladies' and Misses' Hose regular 15c value, special ..... 9c  
The best 25c hose on the market special ..... 18c  
50c values ..... 39c  
75c values ..... 58c  
\$1.00 values, silk ..... 79c  
\$1.50 values, silk ..... 98c  
\$2.00 values, silk ..... \$1.39



### RIBBONS AND VEILINGS

Some of the best and most desirable of the bargains in this great Pre-Holiday Sale will be found on the ribbon and veiling counter.

### All Ribbons 25% Off

\$1.00 values, double width 79c 25c and 35c Veiling, in all leading shades, special ..... 18c

### Muslin Underwear

#### CORSET COVERS

25c Corset Covers 17c  
50c Corset Covers 38c  
75c Corset Covers 59c  
\$1.00 Corset Covers 79c

#### GOWNS

50c Gowns 38c  
75c Gowns 59c  
\$1.50 Gowns \$1.19  
\$2.50 Gowns \$1.74

#### SKIRT CHEMISE

\$1.00 Skirt Chemise 79c  
\$1.50 Skirt Chemise \$1.12  
\$2.00 Skirt Chemise \$1.48  
\$3.00 Skirt Chemise \$2.20

#### SKIRTS

\$1.00 Skirts 69c  
\$1.50 Skirts \$1.19  
\$2.00 Skirts \$1.39  
\$3.00 Skirts \$2.19

#### DRAWERS

25c Drawers 18c  
50c Drawers 37c  
\$1.00 Drawers 69c

We carry a complete line of muslin sets from \$5.00 to \$25.00.



### Astonishing Reductions in Women's Suits.

These superbly tailored models are offered now at prices that usually come at the end of the season. Every new style and the most popular fabric and trimming ideas are fully represented in this assortment.

\$13.75 buys \$22.50 suits, consisting of pretty models in 28 to 36 inch coat lengths, some fitted and some with new roll and collar effects Ladies and Misses' sizes

**\$13.75**

\$16.75 buys \$35.00 suits, in this lot there are smart suits, principally in the 36 inch coat length, Prince Chap and pointed jacket styles, some with high collar effects and ties, made of fine fancy wool materials, worsteds and serges, ladies' and Misses' sizes

**\$16.75**

#### Stylish Dress Skirts

\$1.00 BUYS 3.00 SKIRTS, in new styles up to date styles made of good Altman voile nicely trimmed with silk or satin bands

\$2.00 BUYS 3.00 SKIRTS, in new styles up to date styles made of good Altman voile nicely trimmed with silk or satin bands

#### Winter Coats Reduced

If you haven't already purchased your Winter Coat you are lucky, in a way, for you can now choose from our splendid showing at extraordinary saving prices.

Broadcloth Coats, full length, satin lined throughout in rich lustrous black cloth elegantly trimmed with satin and bias new sleeve and cuff effects positively worth \$12.50 during this sale ..... \$7.40

Fine Broadcloth Coats directoire model full length, lined throughout with heavy satin, effectively trimmed with satin bands, large directoire revers, high turn over collar, Empire back, regularly \$25 value, now ..... \$18.75



These  
Pre-Holiday  
Sale  
Bargains  
Are  
Invitations  
to  
Save Money.

### Gloves

\$1.50 and \$1.75 Imported Kid Gloves Offered for this Pre-Holiday.

Mannish styles in Women's Short Gloves, single horn clasp, made from genuine Kassan stock, prix seams, in newest shades of tan, also white, special for this sale only

**\$1.10**



### Pre-Holiday Fur Sale

\$10.00 Curricie Sets at ..... \$5.90  
\$15.00 Curricie Sets at ..... \$9.90  
\$15.00 German Lynx at ..... \$10.40  
\$20.00 German Lynx at ..... \$13.75  
\$5.00 Coney Throws at ..... \$3.40  
\$5.00 Coney Mitts at ..... \$3.40  
\$15.00 Real Jap Mink Throws at ..... \$11.40  
\$20.00 Real Jap Mink Mitts at ..... \$14.90  
\$2.50 Children's Sets at ..... \$1.65  
\$2.50 Children's Sets at ..... \$2.40  
\$5.00 Children's Sets at ..... \$3.80  
Others Furs reduced accordingly

**Feldstein's,**

136 North Pittsburg St., Connellsville.



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FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 11, 1908.

RELIGION AND MORALS  
IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Pastor Burgess concludes that the common schools cannot teach religion; but that properly conducted they cannot fail to teach morality; and that, after all, the home and the Sunday school are the proper places to teach children religion.

Most Americans will agree with this view of the matter. It is broad and patriotic. Religious freedom was one of the Constitutional principles laid down by the Fathers. Religion cannot be taught in the public schools because the Government recognizes no creed.

But the State recognizes morality. Our laws are based upon it. Our courts uphold it and our common schools teach it. The State has every reason to desire that its coming citizens shall be honest and law-abiding, pure-hearted and patriotic men.

The Courier has in times past fallen under the cold displeasure of some of the members of the Connelville ministry because it has protested against the reading of the Protestant Bible in the public schools. That protest was not made against religion or against morality. Both are most desirable parts of youthful education. Our protest was against any semblance of intolerance upon that freedom of conscience guaranteed by the Constitution to every citizen of every faith.

We are pleased to know that its justice is generally recognized by the town's present broad-minded and unbigoted ministry.

**SEWER PLANS AT LOW COST.**

With characteristic enterprise Scottsdale is going forward promptly with the preparation of plans for a sewage disposal plant in compliance with the demands of the State, and it is announced that the cost of these plans has been materially lightened by the able assistance of the experts of the Health Department.

The Connelville authorities are inclined to treat the State's communication to them on a similar subject like something that is loaded and laid better be left alone lest it explode and hurt somebody.

It is useless to temporize. We cannot escape the reasonable requirements of the State. We have been directed to prepare plans for a sewage disposal plant and a more sanitary system of sewers. The requirement is not burdensome from a financial point of view or otherwise, but it will prove troublesome if it is not attended to in due season.

Connelville ought to emulate Scottsdale and get busy on the sewer plans while they can be prepared at low cost. Borough Engineer Hogg has already had the advantage of free advice from the Health Department's expert in working out the Scottsdale plans. He can have the same advantage with regard to those of Connelville, and we will not need to go outside of our own town to meet the requirements of the State.

The present requirements of the State are not impossible, and there is no reason to think that those of the future will be. Moreover the requirements are for our own good as a community. We cannot lose anything by going along gracefully.

**KEEPING TAB ON MEN IN THE MINE.**

Notwithstanding the many improvements in mining mechanism and mining practice a system of keeping correct tab on the men in the mine has not yet been devised.

The Marianna mine was a model of modern improvement, but when it was wrecked by an explosion the company officials were unable to make a list of those who were in the pit, or even to say how many were there. The experience has been the same in all our big mine disasters, and in most of them dead bodies continued to be found days after it was thought that all were accounted for.

It ought not to be difficult to inaugurate a system of checking the men as they enter and leave the pit, especially in view of the fact that in many mines of a gaseous nature it is only a question of short time until all exits and entrances will be required to be guarded, and all persons entering the mine subjected to search, to more effectually safeguard the mine from the reckless use of matches, open lights and other things under ban.

William Reay found it not easy, it appears, to fool a jury, full of fury, of his peers. The attempt of the defendant to explain his bad bookkeeping on the score of ignorance might have had weight in spite of the general impression that a banker is presumed to know something about bookkeeping had it not been for the fact that Reay ran away. The jury probably could not get it out of their heads that "The Wicked die when no man Pursueth." An innocent man is usually willing to stand forth in the sunlight of truth, but the wrongdoer fears every shadow of the night.

The name of Lawson is associated with some great plays in the Street and on the Diamond.

Connelville region operators will examine the Marianna mine at the request of the parties interested in the

Investigation! When expert opinion and advice are desired on mining or seeking the person who seek it come to the Connelville region for it.

Andrew Carnegie will be required to furnish the Ways and Means Committee with the facts upon which his biting bits of magazine fiction are based.

Baths are becoming luxuries in some neighboring communities where water facilities threaten.

The Connelville Chamber of Commerce is making itself solid at the White House. If the Youghiogheny river improvement doesn't come on fast enough we will have today written a special message to Congress about it, and that will make the Untiontown Standard madder than ever.

The Undesirables are getting some late-term sentences in the Fayette county courts.

The British Lords will soon have nothing to do but to wear their titles. There is a disposition to confine legislation to the Commons. The tendency of the times is to democracy. The People, we are informed on the authority of that great publicist, William Jennings Bryan, shall Rule.

It seems that even the Church did not escape the evils of High Finance.

The Thirteen Hoodlums has jumped from Greene county to Connelville, and that island is fearful in its innocence.

The political weather in the Balkans continues quite threatening.

When the busy burglar ransacks a house and rounds up eleven cents he is apt to add his complaint to that of more honest but no less parsimonious professionals, and declare business to be on the bum.

Dull Times have not interfered with the active movements of the Busy Stork. The growth of Connelville's population cannot be stayed.

While the Government is regulating the railroads, Senator Penrose proposes to regulate that particular branch of the Government known as the Postoffice Department and judging from the reports it needs regulating.

Judging from the testimony Cashier Rinehart will have a tough time escaping from Indictment No. 12. The hoodoo is upon him at last.

The County Detective of Cambria is an example of the vetted fears of the Charlestown detective who resigned because of the corrupting influences of the job.

The jury in the Cochran case thought a good coal sale was worthy of a good commendation, especially when it had been promised.

Many farmers who sold their coal thought they didn't get enough money for it. The speculators who sold afterwards at a handsome profit often thought they were not getting enough money and many of them have tried to repudiate their bargains for commission.

Classified Ads  
One Cent a Word.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply 1110 S. Pittsburg St. 110c1110

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS FOR light housekeeping. 607 E. GREEN STREET. 10c1110

FOR RENT—HOUSE, FIVE ROOMS Bath, water, hot, cold. Rent \$11. Apply on Pittsburg. Room King's store, South Connelville. 10c1110

FOR SALE—TEN SHARES NEW Seven National bank stock. Inquire of J. L. KOUACKER, Toledo, O. 10c1110

FOR SALE—CENTRALLY LOCATED clean and confectionery store. Good proposition for right party. Address X. D. GORTER, Connelville. 10c1110

FOR SALE—FOUR FOOT TABLES one mahogany, one maple, one good shape. Must be sold in one lot. Can be bought for less than cost. A bargain for anyone. Inquire 1101 E. RADER INN, at Pleasant. 110c1110

FOUND—NO BETTER CLOTHING made any where at any price. DAVE GOLDEN, Tailor. 10c1110

FOUND—THAT HYAT, THE JEWELLER, is selling the best quality of pocket and eye glasses for \$1.00 offered. Examination free. 10c1110

A NETTLETON  
SHOE

Would make one of the most appreciable and acceptable Xmas gifts possible for men. Measured by the Comfort, Perfect Fit, Distinctive Style and Good Wear they are masterpieces of leathercraft. Made for men who

**DEMAND THE BEST.**

We have styles enough to suit the conservative or the extremist in Patents, Tans, Dull Leathers, Lace, Blucher, Button.

**PRICE, \$5, \$5.50 AND \$6.**

**Norris & Hooper's**

104 W. Main Street

## The Bijou

Will reopen under new management

Thursday Ev'g, 10  
DECEMBER

Along with regular program we will show the latest New York sensation

Moving Pictures  
That Talk.

This is not a machine but a company of high class dramatic people, featuring such plays as "A Christmas Adoption" and other late successes.

ADMISSION FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, Adults 10, Children, under 12, 5c.

CONNELLSVILLE, UNIONTOWN,  
GREENSBURG.The Story of Our Tailoring  
is Told in Few Words:

We make to order and measure only; to fit and to satisfy. We carry no ready-made. Our goods come straight from the mills, in mill lots, at mill prices.

We have the biggest tailor stores in Connelville, Greensburg and Uniontown.

We make as quickly as you need and for about the prices you would pay for ready-made. We make in much less time than any other good tailor, and for about half his prices. And we guarantee.

All clothes made by us pressed and kept in repair free of charge for one year.

THE MOSS TAILORING  
COMPANY,

147 W. Main St., Season Block

B. M. MOSS, Mgr.

## DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

## WEATHER FORECAST.

Showers Friday, with warmer in east portion; Saturday cooler and fair, except snow near the lake.

## CHRISTMAS.

What are you going to give and what have you yet to buy to make your gift list complete? Can we help you with any suggestions? You of course want to give gifts that will be acceptable, also useful. Don't you think this is the kind of a store you ought to come to in order to buy that sort of gifts? We invite you to visit this store as often as you can from now on until Christmas. You'll find it much more convenient to do as much as possible of your shopping during the morning hours. Especially do we invite every man in this vicinity to visit this store. Because it is a woman's store the men will find it the very best place to come to buy presents for their women folk. Competent people here to help and advise every man that comes.

## TABLE LINEN

AND LIENEN SETS.

No woman ever had more linen than she wanted. You'll be perfectly safe in deciding on table linen of some kind. Linen prices here start at \$1.00 the yard for 72 inch linen beautiful patterns and beautiful Herringbone to match from \$3.50 the yard and up. Linen sets from \$8.00 up to \$20.

## DOROTHY DAINTY RIBBONS

Prettiest gift you could think of giving. Ribbons are of best quality silk. Pretty colors, neatly boxed. Ribbon sets start at \$2.25 for set of six ribbons and from that on up to \$3.75 and \$4.00. These last ribbons have cash to match.

## HANDKERCHIEFS.

Study what to give as long as you want to, and then settle on handkerchiefs and you'll not be far wrong. No matter who the gift is for, man or woman, boy or girl, your gift of handkerchiefs will be appreciated. We've an assortment of handkerchiefs here now from 5 cents up to \$2.00 each that's worth seeing.

## GLOVES.

We'll exchange for the right size after Christmas if you make a mistake in choosing the size now. Gentlemen kid gloves at \$2.00 the pair. Black and colors, and we've now the best \$1.00 glove that we know about, all the good colors including black and a dollar glove that this store stands back of and recommends.

## KEISER NECKWEAR.

The name Kaiser means that it is hand made and of the finest material in the nearest of patterns. One case full of these here now. Novelties that you'll not find shown elsewhere in this vicinity.

## SHOPPING BAGS,

PURSES AND BELTS.

The largest and best collection of these we have ever had to show. Something at almost any price you care to pay from 50 cents up to \$10 and \$15 for the more expensive shopping bags. You have more to choose from and more to see now than later on.

## FURS.

We've a showing here now of some pretty fur scarfs and muffs that cannot help but please you in choosing gifts. You ought to do your choosing as soon as possible. Chances are you'll not find the kind you want no matter where you go in the last few days just before Christmas.

## CHILDREN'S COATS.

Now is the time to do your choosing. Plenty here to choose from especially in sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14. Pick out the sizes you want in the material and color you want and we'll deliver it any time you say up until Christmas Eve. Could you think of a better gift for a child than a good warm coat?

## DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

Lots of men have already paid a visit to this dress goods counter. Expect to see lots more between now and Christmas Eve. To the men who don't know we want to say that there is some one here convenient to help them choose to tell them the number of yards they ought to buy, to advise as to material color and trimmings necessary to make their present right and complete in every way.

## HOSIERY.

Good warm stockings for women and children at 25 and 50 cents the pair. Fancy lace like stockings at 50 cents the pair. Silk stockings at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.00 the pair. These in black and white.

## DELINEATOR.

One year's subscription to the best women's magazine published for only \$1.00. Couldn't buy more pleasure for a dollar. Best kind of a gift, for it lasts the year through.

## DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

## Useful Christmas Presents

Anticipating an advance in muslin, longcloth and nainsook, we bought for immediate delivery, the swiftest and one of the best lines of UNDERMUSLINS ever had. In other words our spring line of Undermuslins due in February. We contracted for December delivery, it is now on the shelf, just finished marking it at prices that will stand the closest comparison. Will guarantee equal to anything on the market at the price, quality considered.

## CORSET COVERS

Of muslin, longcloth or nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, 25c, 29c, 43c, 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

## UNDERSKIRTS

Of nainsook and muslin, lace and embroidery trimmed, some with one flounce and some with two flounces, with under ruffles, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$3.98.

## GOWNS

Of muslin, nainsook, longcloth and cambric, with high neck or V neck, some with tucked yokes, others lace and embroidery trim med; 50c, 65c, 1.00 and \$1.25. Also Empire Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed, \$1 to \$2.50.

## DRAWERS

Muslin drawers, some plain, others with three and four rows of tucks, others with wide and narrow ruffles, lace and embroidery trimmed. 23c, 43c, 50c, 55c, and 65c.

## For Waist Building

"TUCK, TUCK, TUCK, it's not STITCH, STITCH, STITCH," as in the song of the shirt, for we are going to save worry, time and nerves, by selling you the already stitched, tucked and almost ready to put on article at prices that will soothe the nerves, as well as suit the purse.

24 inch Tucked Corset Net at 65c, 75c and \$1.50 the yard.

24 inch White Allover Tucked Swiss at 35c.

22 1/2 inch White Allover Tucked Swiss at 35c.

TUCKED CHIFFON in plain black, and plain white, \$1 the yard.

## Christmas Handkerchiefs

Our exclusive line of Christmas Handkerchiefs is handsome and up to date, plain white, others embroidered, 5c, 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c and 50c.

ALL KINDS OF FANCY COLLARS FOR LADIES, 10c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

FANCY SUSPENDERS in beautiful Christmas boxes, 25c and 50c.

A beautiful line of empty glove, handkerchief and suspender boxes at 5c and 6c each.

Christmas Cards to tie on packages 1c each.

106 W. MAIN STREET, — CONNELLSVILLE.

## Get Your Money's Worth When Buying

## Christmas Goods.

WE MAKE DELIVERIES XMAS MORNING.

## PERFUMES:—

In Appropriate Xmas Packages.

Sphehlor's,  
Hudnut's,  
Ricksecker's,  
Colgates,  
Lazelle's.

## STATIONERY:—

Eaton Hurlbut's famous Writing Papers—In Fancy Xmas Packages.

## CRITERION:—

ROBERT'S (Boston) Famous CANDY, one to five pound boxes. Elegant in appearance and incomparable in quality.


## SATURDAY'S SPECIALS:—

12 oz. Bottle Violet Amonia, ..	\$ .10
2 qt. Hot Water Bottles, .....	.75
1 pt. Hill's pure Olive Oil (75c) ..	.60
Rubber Gloves (\$1.25) .....	.90
Colgates Floating Bath Soap, (reg. 10c) 12 cakes, .....	.60
Palmer's Garland Violet Soap (reg. 25c) 3 cakes, ..	.50
Cailer's Chocolate, 20c size, ..	.15
Cailer's Chocolate, 15c size, ..	.09
Cailer's Chocolate, 10c size, ..	.07
Johnson's Bitter Sweets, 1 lb. box, 80c, .....	.55
1/2 lb. box, 40c, .....	.30
R. B. Cigars, box of 25, .....	1.00
Tom Keene, box of 25, .....	1.00

THE RIGHT PLACE.

**Graham & Co.,**  
Apple and Pittsburg Sts., Connelville, Pa.

**Queen Quality SHOE**



It has cost the makers over \$1,000,000 to create the reputation of the "Queen Quality" Shoe. Consequently the trademark to-day is an absolute WARRANTY of quality. They cannot afford to jeopardize it.

SOLD BY  
**C. W. DOWNS & CO.,**

**SKATES**



Roller Skates, Hockey Skates, Sled Skates at prices to suit anybody's pocketbook. We have an entirely new line of the latest idea in speed skates and the new Brown spring toe, extra heavy rockers. Your boy or girl would appreciate a pair of skates for Christmas.

PRICES, ..... 60c to \$4.00.  
Roller Skates, ..... 50c to \$3.50.

**Schell Hardware Co.,**  
116 WEST MAIN STREET.

## NEWS OF A DAY IN SCOTSDALE.

People Are Deeply Interested in the Plan for Sewer System.

SCOTSDALE, Dec. 11.—Although Scotland has not been ordered by the State Department of Health to install a sewage disposal plant for this town, it is getting in shape for the future and making plans that its sewer system as it is in any way increased, during the years to come will conform to a general plan that will readily and fittingly conform to the least possible expense to the installation of a sewage disposal plant. It has been imperative that Scotland should make a comprehensive plan of all the outlying territory which will ultimately be drawn into the system of Scotland, and Borough Engineer J. L. Hogg's men have been at work under the direction of the Town Council to ascertain the extent of the watershed which will drain into Scotland. The sewer permit of the State Department of Health, given through Commissioner Samuel D. Dixon, which is filed according to law in the Recorder's office in Greensburg, expressly stipulates that if such a plan is not submitted to the department before the first of January that the permission accorded to drain the sewage into the sulphur water of Jacobs creek, will be summarily withdrawn, and the only alternative left Scotland would be to build a sewage disposal plant. The permit, however, provides that should such comprehensive plan be filed before the date mentioned that Commissioner Dixon may, at his discretion, extend the time until 1912. Not having any desire to get the sewage system in any difficulty with the Commonwealth the Town Council has ordered the plan to be made and filed with the State Department at Harrisburg. It is said by the officials of the department that Scotland has one of the best and most complete plans of the existing sewage disposal in the hands of the department of the State of Pennsylvania, something due to the work of Borough Engineer James L. Hogg and his assistants. Mr. Hogg was recently in Harrisburg on this matter and in getting it in such shape as it may meet the approval of the department.

There Was Heavy Hailfall.

This morning was signalled upon the calendar as one of the very rare days this six months when rain has fallen. There was a warning up of the atmosphere during the night and there was a heavy rain which began about midnight and continued until this morning, much to the joy of those who are badly in need of water. With the incessant patches of unbroken sky sidewalks there were some very smooth places left for unwary pedestrians after the rain had apparently washed the pavement dry, and some came to grief while making their trips about town.

Was Arrested Yesterday.

A man, who gave his name as Jacob Swartz and his home West Newton, was arrested by Chief Frank McCudden on Broadway yesterday after he had come out of the New Scotland House and walked across the street beside some woman. Both came across the street and the woman stopped, seemingly, to allow him to go about, but he stopped also. She was passing the hotel when the man came out and the manner in which they crossed the street was purely accidental. Swartz was accused of having endeavored to keep the walk up, when the woman went into DeLuvon's restaurant and Chief McCudden took a hand. Swartz denied doing anything wrong and put up a \$5 forfeit for his appearance.

Short Personal Notes.

Mrs. C. W. Herbert of Vanderhill is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Weaver of Pittsburgh street.

Mrs. W. H. Glasgow and sister, Mrs. Howard Egan, spent Wednesday visiting friends in Pittsburgh.

Miss Bertha Todd visited Connelville friends Wednesday.

Misses Margaret and Mary Kennedy are spending a few days visiting in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Henry D. Jarrett was visiting in Connelville Thursday afternoon.

I. H. Weaver of Smithton was the guest of his brothers, M. O. and C. S. Weaver and their families Wednesday.

Rev. Archibald Auld was a visitor in Connelville Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Steiner, who have been in London, Ohio, for the past year, have returned to Scotland.

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Albert Elbar, a former teacher in East Huntingdon township, was a business visitor here from Fort Hill, Somerset county Wednesday.

Miss Lou Stauffer is spending the week visiting her sister Mrs. John Brack of Pittsford.

## OHIO-PYLE.

OHIO-PYLE, Dec. 11.—Mrs. A. L. Skinner, who with her family, will soon leave for New Mexico, is spending a short visit with relatives and friends in Connelville.

Mrs. Thomas Inles of near Green Deer was shopping and visiting friends in town Thursday morning.

William Kozitz of Bear Run was attending to matters of business and calling on friends in town Thursday.

Russell Fried, who has for the past few days been on a visit with relatives and friends at Friendsville, returned

to his home at this place Wednesday evening.

John Sunda of near Maple Summit was attending to matters of business and calling on friends in town yesterday.

William T. Nicholson of Uniontown is spending a few days on a visit with relatives and friends at this place.

Mrs. John Laraway and daughter of near Beaver Creek were shopping and visiting friends in town Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. T. B. McClain and daughter Miss Daisy, of this place were shopping and visiting friends in Connelville last evening.

Miss Emma Corristan returned to her home at this place last evening after spending a few days on a visit with relatives and friends in Connelville and Uniontown.

Thomas Bailey, B. & O. electrician of Connelville, was doing some repair work at this place Thursday.

George Kuriz, who has for the past few days been visiting relatives and friends and looking after matters of

business in Somerset county, returned to his home at this place last evening.

Mrs. John Boyd of near Belle Grove was shopping and visiting friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. Eliza Lintman of Connelville is spending a few days on a visit with relatives and friends at this place.

J. H. Nicholson of this place had three fine hogs butchered Thursday by Walter Shipley of Salsburg. The three hogs totaled over one thousand pounds.

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AMATEURS BRACE  
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Games in the Mercantile League resulted in Dunbar winning two out of three from the B. & O. Clerks while the Amateurs took a brace and made a clean sweep against the Westmoreland Grocers. Low scores were the rule but both Dunbar and the Clerks broke away from their slump in the third game and made the pins spill in grand style, both quintets getting well into the 300 class. The scores follow:

Amateurs.				
	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Buhner	138	140	135	413
Crossland	139	170	172	481
Wilson	128	118	125	371
V. Ishart	131	130	133	394
Albright	120	170	152	442
Totals	656	718	717	2091

Westmoreland Grocers.				
	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Flannery	140	140	174	454
Dovine	129	109	174	412
Williams	140	116	116	372
Fenton	135	170	138	443
Young	134	144	143	421
Howard	107	107	07	221
Totals	785	750	728	2263

Dunbar.				
	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Major	150	160	183	493
Harper	150	107	144	401
Higley	158	111	148	417
McFarland	161	160	140	461
A. Leisnering	145	155	170	470
Totals	765	793	815	2373

B. & O. Clerks.				
	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Swinkley	203	150	188	541
Murley	111	121	137	372
Hayward	111	121	137	372
Taylor	140	157	161	458
Boyce	137	177	130	444
Totals	702	726	653	2081

## AT THE SOISSON.

## "The Thief."

Following a career of 10 months at the Lyceum Theatre, New York, "The Thief," the most intense, the most human and the most absorbing of dramas put upon the stage in years, will be presented by Charles Frohman at the Soisson Theatre, matinee and night, Saturday, December 12. Henri Bernstein, who is just now the name among French playwrights, has been made famous the world over by writing "The Thief." The play was first produced at the Renaissance Theatre in Paris, where Madeleine Barry earned new laurels for herself by playing the wife. The first performance of the play before an English speaking audience was in New York, where it made a tremendous sensation and remained the topic of the town for an entire season. Later the play was acted in London with Irene Vanbrugh in the chief role.

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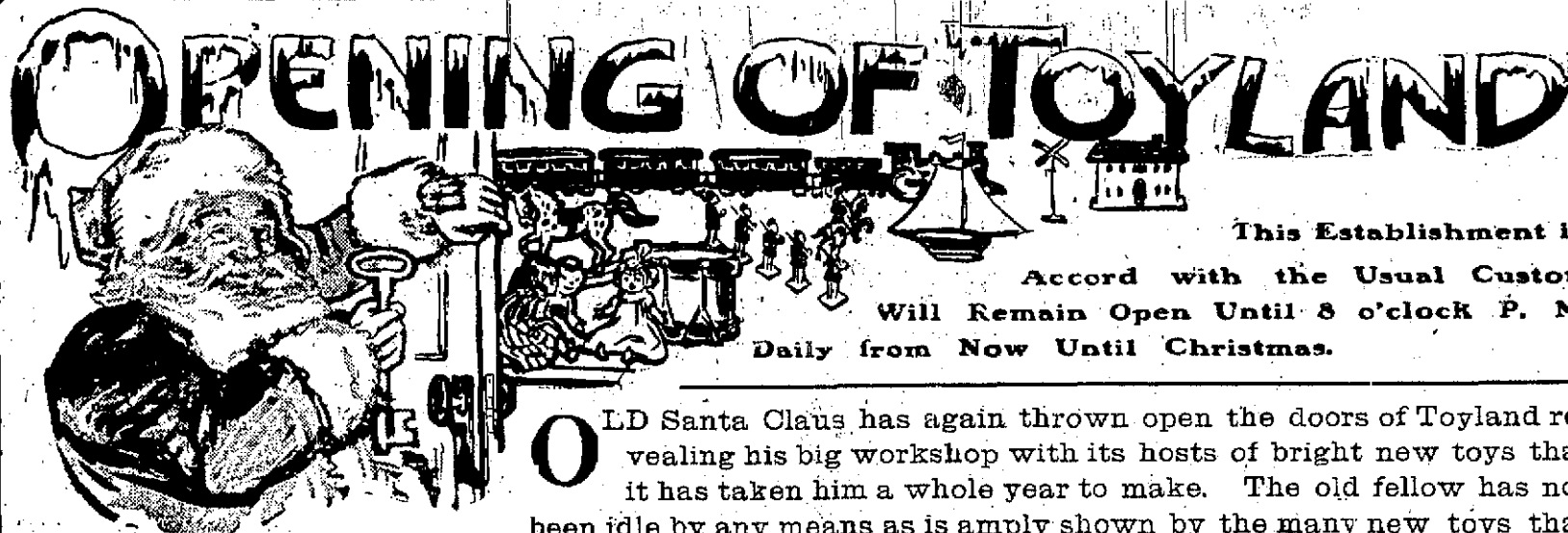
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The beauty and richness of these sets appeal to tasteful women—difficult to find a woman who does not dote on dresser adornments. These beautiful silver sets add a touch of richness and altness that would be hard to duplicate at a similar outlay.

Heavy French plate mirror, bristle brush and strong servicable comb, priced from \$4.50 to \$9.50.

Like sets having enameled backs instead of silver, priced at from \$1.50 to \$4.50.

Military Brushes, per set, \$1.50 to \$4.50.

## Umbrellas

More than ever must our umbrella stocks claim your attention. The long dry spell has caused manufacturers to make very flattering offers and these stocks fairly bristle with good things—strong—slightly handles, waterproof covers that are fadeless and immense variety should attract most active buying.

Men's Umbrellas ... \$1 to \$12;

Women's Umbrellas \$1.50 to \$8.50

Fastidious Men Buy  
Their Neckwear Here

Neckwear is among the necessities of dress, the distinguishing feature of man's dress and really the only dress accessory where-in he may add a touch of color to his otherwise sombre appearance. The above captior states a fact "fastidious men buy their neckwear here." This is absolutely true. Our assortment has been selected with the utmost care and discrimination. Richly blended silks, deep lustrous colorings, fashioned after the strictest of fashion's demands. Boxed in Christmas "gift" boxes, ready for the Christmas tree.

SCARFS PRICED, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00  
AND \$1.50.

STRING TIES PRICED, 25c AND 50c.

## Of Course You've Thought of Handkerchiefs

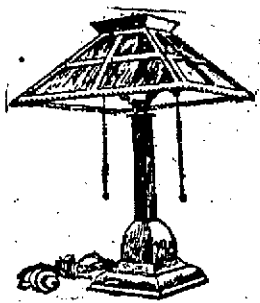
We've Thought of Savings to You.

Suitable as gifts for men, women and children. We present them in every variety. If you wish to present a half dozen, they're here, nicely boxed, plain or initialed, white or popular colorings. We present them priced from 5c to \$5.00, each in women's handkerchiefs; men's from 5c to 50c; children's handkerchiefs boxed in many new and novel ways. Our handkerchief store is at its best.

## Passepartouts

10c

These are in attractive subjects and would form admirable gift for Sunday school classes, or other groups where many little remembrances are required. These are in mattoon or sketches as you prefer.

Our Christmas Lamp Store a  
Sumptuous Array.

Never within the history of our merchandising have we presented such a splendid collection of lamps. Lamps are here to meet any particular kind of interior decorative scheme, bases of bronze, old brass and many of them exclusively shown by us. One of kind only "and that's an item." Shades of beautiful colorings, shedding a soft mellow radiance throughout the room and the beauty of the designs will harmonize with the most fastidious of your requirements. Lamps form a gift that is a constant reminder of your kindness throughout the entire year and for many, many years. This collection has been assembled with the intention and knowledge that it must appeal to a most fastidious public.

Shopping  
Bags of  
Leather  
50c

These are known as Squaw Bags. They are closed with a shir at the top and make excellent bags for shopping purposes being roomy and handy as the opening is the size of the entire bag. We present these also in other grades up to \$2.50.

## Wright-Metzler Company.